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1. Reply to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (11 pages), consisting of Cover Page (1 page), Replacement Listing of the Claims (9 pages), Remarks (1 page); and
2. Return Receipt Post Card.

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REPLY TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

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In reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated December 23, 2004, please delete the section entitled "Listing of the Claims" from the Amendment filed June 14, 2004, and insert the accompanying section entitled "Replacement Listing of the Claims" for consideration in lieu of the previous listing.

A section entitled "REMARKS" begins at page 11, following the replacement listing of the claims.